

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Examiner : J. Schaaf  
Serial No. : 08/778,667  
Filed : January 3, 1997  
Inventors : Conrad Roblejo  
Title : APPARATUS AND PROCESS  
: FOR VERIFYING, SORTING,  
: AND RANDOMIZING SETS OF  
: PLAYING CARDS AND PROCESS  
: FOR PLAYING CARD GAMES

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Docket: 751143-001  
Not. of Allow.: May 11, 1999  
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**CLAIM OF EXTENSION OF TIME FOR RESPONSE**  
**UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)**

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

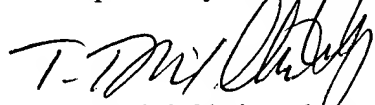
Applicants, through their undersigned attorney, hereby respectfully claim a two (2) month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) extending the time for Response to the outstanding Official Action dated May 11, 1999 from August 11, 1999 to October 11, 1999.

A check in the amount of \$190.00 is being submitted herewith pursuant to the requirements of 37 C.F.R. §1.17(b).

Confirmation of the foregoing Extension of Time is respectfully solicited.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-3405. A duplicate copy of this claim is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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